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The average daily circulation of the Barre Daily Times for the week ending Saturday was

5,290

copies, the largest paid circulation of any daily paper in this section.

Toll not; neither spin on Monday, for 'his labor day.

If Winoski keeps on growing it will annex Burlington.

Did Cook scratch his name on the top of the North Pole so that the next fellow will know?

Dr. Cook's picture looks as if the photographers had equipped a polar bear with a staff and snapped him.

"Opportunity is knocking at the door of Vermont"—Enosburg Falls Standard. Then knock the door off the hinges. Let there be no obstruction.

There is one thing about it: the aeroplane hat for women must come down, which will be good news for the men who have to pay for them.

Not a bit of worry has been expressed over President Taft's proposed tour about the West. Last year it would have been worry, worry, all the time until Roosevelt got back safely.

It will be a better city if the Stevens branch is kept clean. But how much better if only the course of the stream were straightened and the temptation to dump rubbish in the water be taken away from the merchants and tenants on the present bank of the stream! Think it over!

The general public in Rutland took the advice of the Rutland News and broke down the fences at the Rutland county fair. The News had said: "Stay away if you want; get in without paying your way if you wish to maneuver so as to do so. But don't 'kick,' etc. Who says The News isn't a moulder of public opinion?"

One of the trials of the granite manufacturer is freight rates. The reason for some are beyond comprehension. For instance, the rate for rough stock over the Central Vermont from Barre to Waterbury is reported to be 17 cents a ton; from Barre to St. Albans 25 cents a ton; while the rate on the finished stock from Barre to Burlington is \$2.00 a ton. What makes so much difference? It looks like a case of discrimination against Barre manufacturers.

PROMPT ENROLLMENT IN SCHOOLS.

A great deal of the success of the public school and the progress of its pupils rests on the prompt enrollment of the children on the first day of the term. If any considerable number of pupils fail to attend school on the opening day or the first few days of the term, the work of the term is seriously handicapped because of the necessity for the teacher to halt her work when they do arrive and then tutor them so that they can catch up with the others, or hold the others back until the late comers shall have caught up in the work. When the public schools open generally next week, it is to be hoped that parents will see that their children are in their places in the school rooms at the opening, both for the good of the individuals and of the school as a whole.

AN INTELLIGENT MAN CALLED FOR.

The death of Street Superintendent Fred S. Bruce leaves a considerable duty for Mayor Robbins and the aldermen to select his successor to fill out the uncompleted term and perhaps to gain experience in that period for another complete year. The street department is one of the most important features of municipal administration in Barre, not so much because of the fact that we have so many miles of streets to look after, but because there has been so comparatively little permanent work done. It will devolve upon the head of the street department in the next ten years to guide and direct in the matter of laying permanent roads in practically all the more traveled sections of the city. There ought to be some well defined plan mapped out and followed each year until this most pressing work is completed, and the municipality ought to find out the best method of dealing with our local needs and hand down that system of permanent road-making from superintendent to superintendent until something really better is discovered.

In order to do this work best, the city demands a man who is not only a good worker himself and capable of getting work out of others, but a man as well who is able to think along progressive lines, study road problems and adapt the solutions to Barre's own requirements. In short, the city wants an intelligent man. The years which Superintendent Bruce spent in the performance of his duty were surely developing him into a capable road-maker, and he did well with the materials that were placed at his command, as some of our roads bear testimony at the present time. Perhaps his methods of building permanent roads can be improved upon. If

so, the city wants a man who is capable of devising such methods, aided by the constantly growing information about the subject. To be merely a good workman will not fill the bill.

Therefore, The Times, while having no candidate to advance at this time, urges the mayor and aldermen to give the appointment serious consideration before entrusting it to anyone. It is fortunate that permanent road building in Barre has been practically halted for the season, so that no novice at the art shall step in to make a bungle of it and waste the city's money. In fact, there is no hurry about naming a successor to Supt. Bruce.

CURRENT COMMENT

Now Wouldn't That—?

"The quick-pulsed" Caledonia fair comes in two weeks. If you don't believe it, come and see it palpitate.—St. Johnsbury Republican.

Concord Subscribes to It.

Concord and other granite towns will agree with this conclusion of the Barre Times: "Hark, from the tomb a doleful sound," does not apply to Barre; the more tomb, the more cheerful the sound.—Concord, N. H. Monitor.

Had Faith in St. Johnsbury.

The death of B. G. Howe removes a citizen who believed so thoroughly in St. Johnsbury's future that he dared to risk his all to promote its development. Hardly had the smoke faded away from the embers of the old Avenue house before he saw a new hotel, a beautiful opera house and a reconstructed series of business blocks for Railroad street. Though possessed of little capital he had New England grit which attracted capital to his enterprises and his monument is the costly pile of brick and the blocks that are built around the corner of Eastern Avenue and Railroad street. These remain as a testimonial to his enterprise and as a lasting credit and asset to the community.—St. Johnsbury Caledonian.

JINGLES AND JESTS

To a Beetle.

A beetle is a little bug for modest bearing noted,
Its rounded form its build and smug and with no venom bloated.
No insect seemed so innocent; but, oh, we have, at last, its measure!We never saunter to the shade for afternoon siesta,
Because this little beast seems made to plague us and to pester.
He's in our shoe or down our back or scrambling o'er our faces,
And now and then he gives a crack and 'round our ear rim chases.He wanders idly through our hair and on our topmost fingers,
We feel his scratchy footsteps there, likewise his sticky fingers.
We dare not hit the brute a whack for fear our heads would suffer,
And he—knows it well, sleek, and just hangs on! The dunder!The beetle is a natty bug and goodness knows I won't let
But drat its satisfaction smug! I'd like to up and smelt it!
I do not mind its looking through my pockets or my stocking,
But this, for any bug, should do, and more is always abackin'!

—Philadelphia Public Ledger.

WILLIAMSTOWN

John A. Perry is home from Northfield to spend the Sabbath.

The band will move for practice next Monday evening at the usual hour.

C. J. Gidney, accompanied by his son, was in Barre and Montpelier yesterday on business.

Rev. Walter R. Davenport, after a week's visit here, has returned to his home in Orleans.

Union services at the Congregational church tomorrow morning and evening. Come out to these services; they will do you good.

Mrs. Julia E. Paine of Rutland, who has been visiting her cousin, Mrs. Ellen M. Wheatley, the past week, has gone to Berlin to visit friends.

Remember the promenade and dance for the benefit of the base ball team tonight at grange hall. Bill 5 cents a couple.

Mrs. S. R. Smead and her grandson, Roland Hardy, started yesterday morning for Shelburne Falls, Mass., the latter to return to his school.

Miss Katie Curran underwent a successful operation for appendicitis at the Mary Fletcher hospital, Burlington, this week.

The Rayo Lamp

Produces a clear, soft light, easy to read and see by. Well made and ornamental. Can be used in any room. At dealers', or write our nearest agency.

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Big Bottle, 17c.

Snider's Catsup has been called by pretty good authorities—good housewives—superior to what is known as Blue Label. Be sure to get a bottle or two Saturday. Small bottles, 10c. Quality warranted.

Large Ripe Watermelons, 2c lb. cut or whole.

Those delightful high grade Vanaline Cookie Drops, sold regularly at 5c pint, Saturday 5c a quart.

Plenty Sweet Potatoes, 5c lb.

Lots of good trades here Saturday night. Come in and take advantage of his duty were surely developing him into a capable road-maker, and he did well with the materials that were placed at his command, as some of our roads bear testimony at the present time. Perhaps his methods of building permanent roads can be improved upon. If

C. R. LYNHAM,

"North Barre Grocer."
617 N. Main, Cor. Main and Second Sts.

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A pair of Boys' Hose given Free today with every pair of Boys' Shoes sold.

Store closed all day Monday.

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MONTPELIER.

The new heating plant of the court house and the jail has been finished and when tested recently was found to work perfectly.

Rev. Homer A. Flint, rector of the Christ Episcopal church, will preach tomorrow for the first time in 10 weeks. He was given a leave of absence of 10 weeks and has spent the time touring through Europe.

F. C. Redfield, agent of the Ekremburg Carbon Telegraph Co., of Rochester, has been looking over the local field. He is interested in the hearing before the public service commission which is scheduled for October 5.

Miss Margaret Leslie and Miss Wells of Chicago have just returned from a several weeks' trip abroad. They went with a tourist party and had a fine trip. Miss Leslie will resume her duties in the American Fidelity office soon.

F. L. Hopkins and L. A. Lopez of Killying, Conn., have been engaged the past week in buying cattle for shipment to their farm in Connecticut. They do not want the cattle for killing, but for breeding purposes and they wish to get some representative Vermont stock.

Representatives of the Standard Oil company were in town Thursday trying to sell the city some oil for putting on the streets. They suggested that the cost be assessed against the property owners the same as the sprinkling is. Unless this is done it is not probable that anything will be done by the city this season.

BROILER CHICKENS

25c Pound

Extra nice lot of them, too. Getting just right to eat now, plump and rich. Fowls selling 22c, good ones.

Fine Native Lamb, 10c to 25c lb. for various cuts.

Red Alaska Salt Salmon, new barrel just opened, 10c lb.

Salt Herring, came same time, 7c lb.

Plain Tripe, 4 pounds 25c, quality guaranteed.

Genuine Aberdeen Beef Sausage, 3 pounds for 25c.

Sweet Corn—not field corn—1200 ears, tender, juicy, palatable, real Sweet Corn, will be here to-day. Selling 15c doz. Adds zest to any meal.

Golden Hubbard Squashes, ripe and fine, 3c lb.

Eating and Pie Apples, best of season yet, 20c pk.

Nice Celery, bunch, 20c.

New Potatoes, pk., 20c.

Pickling Onions, 3 lbs., 25c.

Any quantity of other reasonable native Vegetables and prime quality Meats.

SPECIAL NOTE.

Those of our customers having accounts here are earnestly and respectfully requested to settle part or whole of same at earliest convenience. Kindly remember, please, that we have to pay cash to farmers and others for our goods, and, candidly, we need the money you owe us to help do it with.

"Where Quality Counts."

TASSIE BROTHERS
TELEPHONE 9-3.

Others have lost their cash, notes, insurance policies, etc., recently by keeping them in the office or home.

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A Large Box at \$3.00 per year. Larger ones at \$5 and \$10.

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OPEN FROM 7-8 MONDAY EVENINGS.

SUNDAY SERVICES.

Times and Places of Worship and Subjects of Sermons.

St. John the Baptist Mission at Westerville. Service in the schoolhouse at 3 p. m. Rev. Charles H. Wells will conduct the service.

St. Monica's Church. Children's mass at 9 o'clock, celebrant, Rev. P. M. McKenna. Parish mass at 10:30 o'clock, celebrant, Rev. E. T. Gray. Catechism, 3 p. m. Rosary and Benedictions, 4 p. m. Baptisms at 4 p. m.

Church of the Good Shepherd. Rev. W. J. M. Beattie, rector. Holy communion and sermon at 10:30. Sunday school at 11:45. Evening prayer and sermon at 7 o'clock. Rev. Charles H. Wells of Newark, N. J., will conduct both services.

Universalist Church. Edward C. Downey, pastor. After a month of vacation, services will be resumed tomorrow. Text for the morning. The miracle shall become a pool. Sunday school at 12 Junior V. P. C. U. at 3:30. No evening service. After the morning service delegates will be elected to the state convention in Bellows Falls September 6-9.

Leading Methodist Episcopal Church. Edward C. Thayer, pastor. Church rally service at 10:30. He pastor hopes to see all members in their places ready for work. Short sermon "The Guests of Jesus," followed by the Lord's supper. Bible school at 12. Epworth League rally at 6. All the young people urgently requested to be present. Evening worship at 7. Praise service led by choir. Sermon topic, "Bearers of Good Tidings."

First Baptist Church. William E. Braisted, minister. Morning worship at 10:30 with message, subject, "A Time for Action." Bible school at 12. Swedish meeting at 3:30. All Scandinavians invited. Mr. Braisted will speak. C. E. meeting. Evening worship at 7. Rev. Frank L. Sullivan will deliver the late Dr. Gambart's famous illustrated lecture on "The Mill Tree." You will want to hear this lecture. Prayer meeting Thursday evening at 7:30. Welcome to all.

PLAINFIELD.

Fred Fowle of White River Junction was a business visitor in town Tuesday.

Communion will be observed at the Congregational church Sunday morning.

There will be services at the Methodist church Sunday morning.

Mr. F. P. Clark and Mrs. George St. Cyr are visiting Mrs. Addison Wood of Swiftwater, N. H.

Victor Reed of Gladstone, Va., is the guest of his parents, Mr. and Mrs. Clark Reed.

Mr. and Mrs. George Whitecher recently visited in Middlebury and Brandon.

Mrs. John Wootter of South Barre was in town Wednesday to attend the 20th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Nye.

H. W. Heath returned from New York Wednesday, where he has been taking special courses in elocution and the sciences.

Mrs. F. P. Gale was in Danville on Thursday and Friday.

Mrs. Dan Fager returned Friday from a few days' visit at Post Mills with her daughter, Mrs. Charles McKnight.

Ralph Nye returned to Westminster Thursday after spending a few days in town with relatives.

Mrs. Hattie Sherry is soon to work for Mrs. Charles Jack of Montpelier.

Rev. and Mrs. P. B. Fisk will visit to St. Johnsbury Thursday for a few days stay.

Miss Ethel Colby is teaching school in Concord.

L. E. Knapp went to Boston Saturday to spend a few days with his son, Don.

Mr. and Mrs. Frank Martin and Miss Ida visited relatives in East Barre Saturday.

Nearly two hundred friends and relatives gathered at the Odd Fellows hall Wednesday evening in honor of the 50th wedding anniversary of Mr. and Mrs. Ervin Nye. An interesting program was given, consisting of selections by Harry Heath; songs by Miss Marguerite Gato and Mr. Butterfield; remarks by Rev. P. B. Fisk, J. W. Butterfield, and Ed Nye. The dining hall was prettily decorated in green and gold, and ent. flowers. Refreshments of cake and ice cream were served.

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These low rate tickets are available for passage on personally conducted excursions in Pullman touring sleep cars, Chicago to the coast without charge.

The train service includes no less than four splendidly equipped transcontinental trains daily from Chicago, connecting with all lines from the East.

Write for particulars to S. A. Hutchison, manager tour department, 212 Clark street, Chicago, Ill.

Extraordinary Sale

of Household Goods, Table Linen, Towels, Crash, Fancy Huck, Sheetings, Sheets, Pillow Slips, Muslins, Dimities, Dress Goods, Silk Waistings, etc.

These goods are all new, some of them not out of cases. The above goods were bought for less than market prices from jobbing house wishing to make change in business.

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COMFORTABLE AMBULANCE AT A MOMENT'S NOTICE

SOUTH ROYALTON.

Clinton Hewitt is visiting his father, J. H. Hewitt.

Lester Ashley has returned from his trip to California.

Mrs. Neil Nye of Long Island is visiting at George Nye's.

Master Earl S. Hutchins of Barre

who has been visiting his aunt, Mrs. Edward Hope, returned home Monday. Miss Blanche Riddle has gone to Boston, where she has a position. Dr. and Mrs. Judkins of orchard spent Sunday at H. H. Kibby's. Edward Hope is having a vacation from Hewitt's store and is visiting in Washington.

Sit Down and Think It Over!

Did you ever stop and think it over, what we are actually giving our customers who pay cash and save their rebate checks! Almost every family buys thirty dollars' worth of Meats, Groceries, Fresh Fish, Vegetables, Bakery Goods, etc., every week. Now, we are giving away a ten-pound pail of Home-rendered Lard that retails for \$1.50 for every \$30.00 worth of checks.

We have always sold our goods at the bottom prices and given our customers the benefit of any low price sale that was to be had. For instance, at Easter time instead of raising the price of Lam and Eggs, we have given a special sale price. Did you buy Flour at our Flour cut-price sale last week? Can you afford to do your trading here and there and everywhere, or wouldn't it be better to pay cash, save your rebate checks, and buy where prices are always the lowest? We pay cash for our goods and buy in large quantities, thus getting a lower price than those that pay by the 30 days and buy in small lots.

Smith & Cumings.

Good Things to Eat From the Food Department Store.

SPECIAL for SATURDAY

We have a limited number of Stem Winding and Setting Rexall Advertising Watches to be put out Saturday morning at exactly 9 o'clock. This is not a toy but a real watch, plain and handsome, good enough to carry every day, fully warranted and will be kept in repair one full year free of charge.

88c—Price While They Last—88c

simply enough to pay the cost of transportation and this advertisement. No sale made until 9 o'clock. This chance will not occur again so be on hand if you want one for yourself or the boy. Only one to a customer. A few mail orders will be filled if received in time. The price is less than the value of the main spring.

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